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2003 Wisconsin Act 218 [2003 Senate Bill 46]

Designation and Marking of Certain Highways and Bridges

2003 Acts: www.legis.state.wi.us/2003/data/acts/

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Under 2003 Wisconsin Act 218, the Department of Transportation (DOT) is directed to designate and mark certain highways and bridges to recognize, commemorate, and honor certain persons, organizations, and symbols. These include the "Wisconsin Law Enforcement Officers Highway," the "Wisconsin Fire Fighters and Emergency Medical Technicians Highway," the "Wisconsin Fire Fighters-EMT/Citizen Solider Bridge," the "Wisconsin Law Enforcement/Citizen Soldier Bridge," the "Citizen Soldier Highway," and the "Major Richard I. Bong Memorial Highway."

The Act ensures that no state funds are used to erect or maintain markers along the routes (highways and bridges) designated in the Act. Under the Act, DOT is required to erect and maintain the markers for these routes only when it has received sufficient contributions from interested parties, including any county, city, village, or town, to cover the costs of erecting and maintaining the markers.

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